

AMENDMENTSIn the Drawings

Please amend Figure 5B as indicated in the attached "Request to Correct Drawings".

In the Specification

Please ~~replace~~ the paragraph beginning at page 52, line 11, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Q! The first M measurements are between adjacent routers, one for each link, and proceeds as follows. For each link, L_k , $k = 1, 2, \dots, M$ (step 548), the pair of routers (R_i, R_j) that are the "end-points" of that link are identified and added to the set Ω (step 550). The next set of up to N measurements are then identified. These measurements are between a pair of routers (R_i, R_j), each of which is adjacent to router R_k . Such a pair is included in the measurements set provided there exists at least one path from R_i to R_j which passes through R_k . As a result, this may result in $N - |\Theta|$ measurements only. For each router R_k , $k = (1, \dots, N)$ (step 552), the collection of adjacent routers ($\phi(R_k)$) are examined to determine where there is a pair of routers adjacent to R_k such that a path between them passes through R_k (step 554). For each router pair in $\phi(R_k)$ (step 556), the preceding determination is made. If such a pair is successfully identified (step 558), then this pair is added to the set Ω (step 560). Otherwise, if no such pair is successfully identified (step 561), it may be concluded that it is not possible to separately assess delay due to processing within the router R_k , and so R_k is added to the set Θ (step 562). Construction of the measurements set, Ω , is thus completed. The size of Ω (represented, e.g., by Q) is given by $N+M-|\Theta|$ (step 564).